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SENATE ENGROSSED NO. **HB1076** - 2/22/99

Introduced by: Representatives Haley, Cutler, Koetzle, and Lucas and Senators Daugaard, Everist, Hutmacher, Kloucek, Moore, and Olson

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to appropriate federal funds for the continuation of the
2 Visitation Enforcement Program Implementation Task Force and to provide for standard
3 request forms for use in certain visitation and custody hearings.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

5 Section 1. There is hereby annually appropriated to the Unified Judicial System one hundred
6 thousand dollars (\$100,000) of federal fund authority for acceptance of a grant from the
7 Department of Social Services of moneys obtained from Part D of Title IV (U.S.C. 651-669),
8 as amended, in order to continue the operations of the Visitation Enforcement Program
9 Implementation Task Force, created by Chapter 150 of the 1997 South Dakota Session Laws.
10 The Unified Judicial System may expend no more than five thousand dollars of this appropriation
11 to pay any expenses of the task force.

12 Section 2. The state court administrator shall approve vouchers and the state auditor shall
13 draw warrants to pay expenditures authorized by this Act.

14 Section 3. That § 25-4A-2 be amended to read as follows:

15 25-4A-2. Any party granted visitation or custody rights to a child by a court decree may
16 request the court to enter an order to show cause why the other party should not be held in

1 contempt of court for violation of the decree relating to visitation or custody of the child. Upon
2 receipt of a written request for an order to show cause, the court may issue such an order and
3 forthwith schedule a hearing date not less than thirty days in the future. No particular formality
4 ~~may be~~ is required of the moving party in making a written request for an order to show cause.
5 However, the clerk of the circuit court shall make available standard request forms with
6 instructions for completion to be used by a moving party. The Department of Social Services
7 shall prepare the standard request form.

1 **BILL HISTORY**

2 1/19/99 First read in House and referred to Appropriations. H.J. 85

3 1/26/99 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.

4 1/26/99 Appropriations Do Pass Amended, Passed, AYES 10, NAYS 0. H.J. 184

5 1/28/99 House of Representatives Do Pass Amended, Passed, AYES 67, NAYS 2. H.J. 251

6 1/29/99 First read in Senate and referred to Appropriations. S.J. 265

7 2/3/99 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.

8 2/18/99 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.

9 2/18/99 Appropriations Do Pass Amended, Passed, AYES 8, NAYS 0. S.J. 536

10 2/22/99 Motion to Amend, Passed. S.J. 624

11 2/22/99 Senate Do Pass Amended, Passed, AYES 34, NAYS 1. S.J. 625

12 2/22/99 Senate Title Amended Passed. S.J. 625